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THe following Addreſs has been preſented to Her Majeſty by his Grace the Lord Archbiſhop of Canterbury.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Archbiſhop, Dean and Chapter, and Parochial Clergy of Canterbury.

May it pleaſe Your Moſt Sacred Majeſty,

THe extraordinary Compaſſion and Encouragement, which Your Majeſty hath been pleaſed to extend to the Poorer Clergy in this Kingdom, by applying Your Royal Bounty of First-Fruits and Tenths to their more Comfortable Subſiſtence, juſtly obliges the whole Order to be particular in their moſt humble and thankful Acknowledgments, ſince all have indeed their Share in it: For even they, who do not actually receive this Charity, have yet the truly Chriſtian Satisfaction, of ſeeing their Brethren and Fellow Servants put in a more eaſie and decent Condition of Living, and ſomewhat of that Contempt taken off, which reflected on the reſt from their low Circumſtances.

We may all be entirely aſſured of Your Majeſty's favour to our Body; ſince You have been ſo graciouſly pleaſed to make its meaneſt Members the Object of Your Pious Care, and Beneficence, which do not, like private Charities, give Relief alone, but bring Honour alſo with them from the Fountain whence they flow.

Your Majeſty ſo Liberally upon all Occaſions imparting to Your Subjects the Bleſſings You receive from God, they muſt be, not only Ingrateful to ſo truly Nurſing a Mother, but Enemies to themſelves, who do not heartily joyn in all the Prayers made for Your Majeſty's long and happy Reign; and who do not contribute their utmoſt Endeavours to render it ſuch, by leading quiet, peaceable, and honeſt Lives under You. Thus we in particular ſhall always Pray our ſelves, and thus, both by our Doctrine and Example, ſhall, by God's Aſſiſtance, teach Your Majeſty's Subjects in our reſpective Cures, always to Pray and Practice.

May it pleaſe Almighty God to Reward, and to perpetuate the Noble Fruits of Your Majeſty's Piety and great Goodneſs; by all poſſible Bleſſings upon Your own Royal Perſon and Government, and by continuing to preſerve our moſt Holy Religion, in the Church of England, and the Proteſtant Succeſſion, as Eſtabliſh'd by Law.

The following Addreſs was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of Norwich.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Biſhop of Norwich, the Dean and Prebendaries of the Cathedral Church, and the Arch-Deacons of the Dioceſe of Norwich.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Biſhop of Norwich, and the Dean and Prebendaries of Your Majeſty's Cathedral Church, together with the Arch-Deacons of the Dioceſe of Norwich; do in behalf our ſelves, and the whole Clergy of the Dioceſe, humbly beg leave to lay before Your Majeſty, the great Senſe we have of Your Majeſty's Royal and ſingular Bounty to the Church of England, in Your readineſs to part with that Branch of Your Revenue which aroſe from the Firſt-Fruits and Tenths; for the Augmentation of the ſmaller Benefices of this Church, and the Encouragement of thoſe that ſhall have the Care of them.

And as no Dioceſe of Your Majeſty's Dominions, has greater need of ſo Pious a Charity; ſo we do humbly aſſure Your Majeſty, that no one can be more deeply affected with it, or more deſirous of appearing, as far as is poſſible, worthy of ſo ſurprizing a Favour.

We are all ſincerely thankful to God, for the invaluable Bleſſing we enjoy in Your Majeſty's moſt Auſpicious Government: And as we ſhall endeavour in our ſeveral Stations, to contribute what we can to the Peace and Happineſs of it; ſo we ſhall daily beſeech Almighty God to make it long and proſperous, and in the end, to Crown Your Majeſty with immortal Glory.

The following Addreſs was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of Gloceſter.

To the Queen's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Biſhop, with the Arch-Deacon, and the reſt of Your Majeſties Clergy of the Dioceſe of Gloucester.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE pray Your Royal leave to Offer our moſt humble and hearty Thanks, as for the ſingular Affection You are ſo Renowned for having always born to the Church of England; ſo particularly, for the moſt ſignal Demonſtration of it, lately given by Your Princely Charity and Munificence to thoſe great numbers of Your Clergy, who throughout the Kingdom, and in this Dioceſe no leſs than in moſt Parts thereof, do labour under very hard Circumſtances. Herein hath Your Majeſty Excelled all Your Royal Predeceſſors; and done what lay in You, to deliver at laſt the Bleſſed Reformation from the Reproach it hath hitherto Juſfered upon that Account.

And, Madam, *We gladly lay hold on this Occaſion to add, That we cannot ſufficiently expreſs our Joy, and Thankfulneſs to Almighty God, for Your Majeſty's Happy Reign over the Hearts no leſs than Perſons of all thoſe of Your Subjects, who are not moſt Unworthy of ſuch a Queen. Thoſe muſt be very ill Men who will not acknowledge, that Your Majeſty is an invaluable Bleſſing to Your People; and eſpecially for Your ſo powerfully Exciting them to Piety and all Virtues by Your Excellent Example; and for the great Concern You have ſhewed, from Your firſt Acceſſion to the Throne, for the Effectual Reformation of a very Vicious Age.*

And that the Reign of Your Moſt Gracious Majeſty may be very long and proſperous; deriving by Your Admirable Conduct and Adminiſtration, an Ample Share of the Bleſſings of Wealth, Peace and Godlineſs *to all Your Dominions: That Your Majeſty's Arms (with Your Allies) may be ever Victorious over Your and All* Europe's *Enemies; and You may ſtill defeat all Wicked Plots and Traiterous Conſpiracies againſt Your moſt Sacred Perſon and Your Righteous and Gentle Government: And that, finally, You may receive a never fading Crown of Glory, as the Reward of Your moſt Pious Zeal for God's Honour, and the Spiritual and Temporal Welfare of the Church and People committed to Your Charge, is the moſt Earneſt Prayer of,*

MADAM,

Your Majeſty's moſt Loyal and Obedient Subjects, &c.

All which Addreſſes Her Majeſty received very Graciouſly.

Turin, May 9. N. S. The Duke of Vendoſme appeared the 2d inſtant before Verue with a conſiderable Body of Forces, as if he would have forced the new Lines which his Royal Highneſs has made there; but as he approached, his Troops ſeparated, and marched off ſeveral ways without attempting any thing. The 5th, by break of day, the Duke of Vendoſme's Forces began to paſs the Po over againſt Caſal, in 3 Columns, and over as many Bridges, and by 9 a Clock, his whole Army had paſſed over. His Royal Highneſs advanc'd towards Caſal, and encampt at Villa Nova and Reve, with a deſign to have oppoſed the Enemy's Paſſage if he had found an opportunity; but they were ſo ſtrong, and had ſo good a Redoubt at the Head of their middle Bridge, capable of containing 4000 Men, that it was found impracticable. The 6th, his Royal Highneſs retired to Trin, and the Enemy, tho' Superiour in number, was contented to look on without giving him any diſturbance in his March. The 7th, His Royal Highneſs marched with his Army to Creſcentino, where he continues ſtill encamped, and very ſecurely intrenched: The Enemy followed him cloſe with a conſiderable Detachment, and their Horſe came up with our Rear, and charged Major General Vaubonne's Regiment, who gave way: However, his Royal Highneſs ſent Prince Eugene's Regiment of Dragroons to their aſſiſtance, and the Enemy was obliged to retire: Major General Vaubonne was wounded in the Face, and taken Priſoner; and we loſt beſides in this Action about 100 Men; the Enemy had about the ſame number killed; and we took 40 Priſoners. Our Duke was on Horſeback the 6th, from 4 in the morning till 6 at night, and got a great Cold, which yet did not hinder him from being on Horſeback again all the next day, when he expoſed his Perſon very much in the Action we have juſt mentioned, and was once in danger of being taken. His Royal Highneſs has ſent a conſiderable Reinforcement to the Gariſon of Verceil, as well to ſecure that Place as to enable them to haraſs the Enemy, by ſending out Parties to intercept their Convoys, and to diſturb their Foragers; and accordingly on the 9th, a Party of that Gariſon fell upon one of the Enemies Convoys coming from Caſal, took 40 Wagons laden with Bread, and killed or took Priſoners about 100 Men of the Militia of Montferrat which guarded them. The Duke of Vendoſme has with him about 20000 Foot and 6 or 7000 Horſe; with whom he advanced within two Italian Miles of Creſcentino, and had laid a Bridge over the Po at Montteſtin to preſerve his Communication with Monſieur d'Albergotti, whom he has left on the other ſide of the Po with about 5000 Men to obſerve our Forces